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For: Method for Adjusting a Lamp Relative to an Illuminating Beam Path of Microscope and a Microscope Suitable for Carrying Out the Method

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